

Robertson County

County seat: Springfield

Health Indicators

	SOC* 1996	SOC* 1992	% CHANGE
Percent of total population enrolled in TennCare**	18.0%	18.8%	-4.3%
Percent of births lacking adequate prenatal care	25.2%	35.6%	-29.2%
Percent of low-birth-weight babies born	6.3%	5.8%	8.6%
Infant mortality rate per 1,000 live births	7.6	3.0	153.3%
Child death rate per 100,000 children ages 1-14	40.6	55.5	-26.8%
Teen violent death rate per 100,000 teens ages 15-19	166.3	34.5	382.0%
Teen pregnancy rate per 1,000 females ages 15-17	47.0	62.4	-24.7%
Sexually transmitted disease rate per 100,000 teens ages 15-17	1562.5	1172.0	33.3%

Social Indicators

Percent of students receiving special education	20.2%	17.1%	18.1%
Percent of high school (grades 9-12) dropouts	1.6%	4.6%	-65.2%
Indicated child abuse & neglect rate per 1,000	11.4	1.8	533.3%
Percent of children under 18 referred to juvenile court	5.4%	5.2%	3.8%
Rate of children in state care per 1,000	13.2	7.2	83.3%

Economic Indicators

Per capita income by county	\$17,575	\$14,206	23.7%
Percent of children under 18 who received AFDC	7.0%	7.2%	-2.8%
Percent of population receiving food stamps	8.3%	9.9%	-16.2%
Percent of children participating in the National School Lunch Program	23.1%	22.9%	0.9%

* Acronym for The State of the Child in Tennessee for 1992 and current report, 1996.

** TennCare data is from 1994, the earliest year available